

Shannon Co. Hydro-Electric Project.

The Current river in Shannon county has been dammed two miles below the confluence of Jacks Fork river with that stream. At that point the Western tie and Timber Company of St. Louis, which has long operated in the timber business in that section, will put in a dam sixty feet in height and more than a quarter of a mile long. Electricity generated by the power thus secured is to be transmitted to St. Louis for industrial use. This Hydro-Electric project is now well in hand, with all interests harmonized, and surveys have been completed. The various tie and timber companies operating along the two rivers have agreed to the project on a stipulation that the dam company is to raft their products through the lake free of charge.

Harding Prosperity in Butler County.

(Poplar Bluff Republican.) Industrial conditions in Poplar Bluff do not look as bright as they should at this time. It is reported on good authority that all the timber mills in this city will close between now and the 10th of June unless some of them are delayed in getting in their logs that are out in the woods. Every one of them is preparing to close as soon as they cut up the material now on hands. If they run steady this will be accomplished by the 10th of next month.

While some of the operators are pessimistic over the outlook others think that the close down will be but for a few weeks or a month or two. Manufacturers of lumber from almost every section of the country report that the demand is strengthening and that prices have risen in some cases, which indicate that the worst is over.

There is a saving factor before this community and that is the fifteen miles of state road that will be commenced about the first of June and if the city bond issue goes through the street paying that the taxpayers are asking for will help absorb much of the labor that will be released by the mills.

This condition is but part of the readjustment that must come and the sooner it comes the sooner it will be over with.

Shrapnel Cartridge Cases.

The material used for shrapnel cartridge cases generally consists of a composition of two parts copper and one part zinc. This alloy has been found to possess the best physical qualities—that is, high tensile strength and a large percentage of elongation when properly annealed.

A Crawling Fish.

A Brazilian fish called the maltha cannot swim. It can only crawl or walk or hop. It has a long, upturned snout and resembles a toad. The anterior fins of the maltha are quite small and are not able to act on the water. They only move backward and forward and are in reality thin paws, which are of no service for swimming.

Barren Palestine.

There are practically no minerals, no coal, no iron, no copper, no silver in Palestine, though recently some oil wells have been discovered in the Jordan valley. Neither are there any large forests, though the land may have been better wooded in the days of Joshua than now.

Weather Report.

Meteorological Report of Cooperative Observer at Ironton, Iron County, Mo., for the week ending Monday, May 16, 1921:

Days of Week.	Day of Month	Temperature		Precipitation
		Highest	Lowest	
Tuesday	10	61	56	.88
Wednesday	11	70	54	.12
Thursday	12	81	56	
Friday	13	76	53	
Saturday	14	74	44	
Sunday	15	69	50	
Monday	16	71	41	

NOTE.—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow, and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. ("T") indicates trace of precipitation. ARCADIA COLLEGE Observer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Mayfield Huff and Pearl S. Huff, his wife, and J. Lee Reddick (single), by their certain deed of trust, dated the 10th day of October, nineteen hundred and twenty, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Iron in the State of Missouri, in Book 71, at page 335, conveyed to William R. Edgar, Jr., trustee, the following described real estate, situated in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section fifteen (15), township thirty-one (31), north of the base line, range three (3) east. Which conveyance was made in trust to the said William R. Edgar, Jr., to secure the payment of the promissory note more particularly described therein; And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, and the same is now past due and unpaid; And, whereas, the undersigned trustee has been requested by the legal owner and holder of said note to exercise the power of sale in him vested by said deed of trust; Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power in me vested by said deed of trust, and pursuant to the request of the legal owner and holder of said note, I, the undersigned trustee, will sell the real estate above described at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, at the east front door of the Courthouse in the City of Ironton, in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, on

Friday, the third day of June, 1921, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust. WILLIAM R. EDGAR, JR., Ironton, Mo., May 16, 1921. Trustee.

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Administrator's Notice.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given, that letters of Administration on the estate of Mollie Rockwell, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 23d day of April, 1921, by the Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the granting of said letters, they shall be forever barred. This 23d day of April, 1921.

THOS. N. MARR,
Administrator with will annexed.
Attest: SAM M. BREWSTER,
Judge of Probate.
Ironton, Mo., April 23, 1921.

State of Missouri,)
County of Iron,) ss.
I hereby certify that Thos. N. Marr was granted Letters of Administration upon the estate of Mollie Rockwell, deceased, on the 23d day of April, 1921.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set [SEAL] my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 23d day of April, 1921.
SAM M. BREWSTER,
Judge of Probate and ex-Officio Clerk

Administrator's Notice.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Azariah Martin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of May, 1921, by the Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the granting of said letters, they shall be forever barred. This 14th day of May, 1921.

JAMES H. MARTIN,
Administrator with the will annexed.
Attest: SAM M. BREWSTER,
Judge of Probate.
Ironton, Mo., May 14, 1921.

STATE OF MISSOURI,)
COUNTY OF IRON,) ss.
I hereby certify that James H. Martin was granted Letters of Administration upon the estate of Azariah Martin, deceased, on the 13th day of May, 1921.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set [SEAL] my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 14th day of May, 1921.
SAM M. BREWSTER,
Judge of Probate and ex-Officio Clerk.



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" 1908	142,413.30
" 1910	607,390.23
" 1912	1,008,686.37
" 1914	1,287,124.82
" 1916	1,412,686.06
" 1918	1,691,775.12
Nov. 17, 1919	2,198,801.58
Feb. 28, 1920	2,299,302.14
Apr. 28, 1921	2,740,320.74

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